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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF)
STEFFEN HOFACKER ET AL) GROUP NO.: 1711
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/054,558)
FILED: JANUARY 22, 2002) EXAMINER: M.D. BISSETT
TITLE: PROTECTIVE COVERING WITH)
A TWO-LAYER COATING BUILDUP)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 28, 2004, Applicants hereby submit the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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